

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

William Dennis Nottingham

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For

EARTH RETAINING SYSTEM SUCH AS A SHEET PILE WALL

WITH INTEGRAL SOIL ANCHORS

Examiner

Sunil Singh

Art Unit

3673

Docket No.

740085.402C1

Date

March 28, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated November 26, 2004, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 26, 2005 (Saturday). Enclosed is a Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.